

KAREN WERNER

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Retired: **Yes**
Spouse: **Earl**
Children: **1 daughter, 2 sons**
Grandchildren: **2 girls,
1 boy (Set of twins)**
Great Grandchildren: **1 boy**

Hobbies: **Travel, Reading, Gardening, Photography**



IN THE LAST TEN YEARS

The last ten years have brought many health issues for my husband. He has dealt with diabetes, coronary bypass, knee replacement, cataract surgery, shingles, skin cancer, arthritis, mini stroke - you name it and he has probably had it. I have been pretty healthy - have only had to have cataract surgery.

We have managed to travel though and seen a fair amount of the United States and Canada. We love visiting new places and have only missed a few states. We have also enjoyed many Husker football games, a few volleyball and baseball games. Go Big Red!

I finally retired a little over a year ago. The only thing about work I miss is the paycheck. I thought I would get all the projects at home done but that hasn't happened as fast as I thought. We have enjoyed watch our twin grandchildren go from babies to 10 years olds. They are now in Grand Island, so not that far away.

Our son Terry is a civil engineer there with Olsson Associates and his wife is a speech pathologist. Our other son, Kelly, is an auto body repairman in Ogallala and still single! Daughter, Tammi, is an accountant in Lincoln and her husband owns Husker Trucking out of Greenwood. Her stepdaughter and husband have made us great grandparents. Their son, Aiden, is one year old. I don't know how in the world we got to be the 50th reunion class. It can't possibly be that long since we walked down the halls of PCHS, can it?

